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VARIETY SPARKS LIFE AT HALE

Thanksgiving Assembly Inspires All



Members of the Modern Dance Group display talents for Thanksgiving.

"Beautiful and inspiring" is what we can say of this year's Thanksgiving Day Assembly. Prepared by the Academic Council in conjunction with the Music and Health Education Departments, the program featured wonderful singing by the Choral Club and graceful, interpretive dancing by the Dance Club to the song, "Let Us Break Bread Together."

With a stage realistically decorated to provide an atmosphere of festivity we were read the message of Thanksgiving and President Kennedy's Proclamation. All the readings and the entertainment certainly prepared us for the wonderful holiday which all Americans, regardless of race or religion, look forward to celebrating.

A Happy Holiday



Simplicity Patterns Fashion Show Staged



Just a few of the lovely styles.

by Rose Ann Guida

Wools, mohairs, corduroys, and fake furs highlighted this year's Simplicity Pattern Fashion Show presented on November 9 by the Fashion Arts Department.

Under the direction of Mrs. Clarke, the Hale Teen Fashion Group modeled the lovely Simplicity styles while Mrs. Flaherty, the fashion representative, commented on the selections.

Novel color combinations were the key-note with reds and camels, grays and camels, greens and browns, and reds and golds taking first place in styles. Also featured were the new bell-shaped and A-line skirts, casual overblouses, and playful pop-ons. The western influence this season was obvious in the favored "hip-huggers" and the old stand-by jumpers were as much in view as ever. For a bright touch we were advised to add a colorful scarf to our ensembles.

As usual, all the pattern styles selected are easy and inexpensive to make. So take the hint, girls! Improve your wardrobe and appearance by adding some bright, colorful and novel outfits - all suitable for school.

Open School Night Big Success



Sarah Hale costume modeled by Ellen Dowd on Open School Night.

On the evening of November 20, Sarah J. Hale opened wide its doors to greet parents and welcome visitors. This was Open School Night, the night which gave parents the opportunity to speak with teachers and to learn how they could help their children in school. Parents also had the pleasure of visiting various trade rooms and seeing the actual work of students. At 8:30 P.M., an assembly program was presented during which the Choral Club entertained. Parents representing girls of each term were introduced and Miss Drew welcomed one and all. The traditional Sarah Hale costume was beautifully modeled by Ellen Dowd. No doubt, the evening was an enlightening and enjoyable one for all concerned.

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LET'S GO PLACES

Brenda Dudley
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The girls of Sarah Hale have really been on the move this term thanks to their energetic teachers.

Miss Shelley treated her two third term classes to a visit to the United Nations on October 22. The girls enjoyed the trip very much and were very impressed. For some of the girls, it was the first time they had visited the United Nations.

The 5th term Beauty Culture girls went to the Hotel Statler with their teacher, Mrs. Pella, to see a hair styling show. They were particularly interested in studying the hair cutting, coloring and styling. The trip was very informative.

On November 13, Mrs. Clarke took representatives from the Hale Teen Fashion Group to the Fashion Institute of Technology. The representatives from 3rd, 5th and 7th term classes were made aware of all the opportunities that the field of fashion offers to fashion art students. They were specially impressed by the wonderful facilities of the school. Needless to say, it was an enjoyable experience.

The girls of the Journalism class entered the "Wonderful World of the Brothers Grimm" on November 27 when their teacher, Miss Firriolo, took them to Loews Cinerama to see the movie. The girls were given an opportunity to study the art of creative and imaginative writing, and certainly benefited by their trip.

Editorial

A GUIDING LIGHT FOR ALL

Who needs a Code of Behavior?
We do! Why?

You probably have been asking yourself these questions. Well, let's stop and think about the answers for a few minutes.

The Code of Behavior was created and written by the girls of the G.O. Council to encourage us to behave in the right way.

It is more than just a list of "do's and don'ts". It is a guide to help us function successfully both in school and in society. As future graduates of high school we must be socially prepared for the world that awaits us.

Think! If we never train ourselves to uphold the rules of our school, and conduct ourselves as ladies, how will we ever be able to adjust to the "code of behavior" that society expects of us? Yes, we all need a code of behavior to guide us. Thanks to our G.O. Council we now have one. Let us all live by it.

SCHOOL STORE NEWS

Ladies, have you been to the school store lately? If not, why not visit it soon and look around. The store is open every period except 2 and 5. There is a large selection of Christmas cards at a 10% to 20% discount and many items for gifts. At present you may find slippers, pens, clutch bags, gym suits, bobbie socks and lovely wrapping paper. So save money! Go to the Sarah Hale School Store and do your shopping.

FOR OUR OWN SAFETY

by Damaris Merced

"Don't panic! Be quiet! Listen for instructions!" I'm sure you have heard this before, but have you ever thought about what it means to you? If there were ever a real fire or an air raid, our chances of survival would depend on how well we listen to the directions given. Mr. Epstein and Mr. Gaston, the Civil Defense advisers, urge us to learn all the signals for danger, and to avoid crowded stairways, such as Exit 4 and 5, when returning to classrooms. Safety is everybody's business. Remember, the life you save may be your own!

Miss Drew's Corner



November 1962

By the time you read my letter you will be able to judge for yourself whether you have joined the proper group of girls; those girls who want to succeed and are willing to work for it. Your Report Cards will tell you the true story.

You have heard many times that you are living in a fast changing and demanding world; also that you face a real challenge when preparing yourself to meet the many changes with success. Every girl who wants to achieve success who really plans to become a quality citizen, must learn to work hard to reach her goal, no matter how many talents she may have to begin with. Your school, Sarah J. Hale, has a very inspiring and stimulating slogan - "The Pursuit of Excellence".

These are the years when you are to find out how to join in "The Pursuit of Excellence". Time has a way of moving on with great speed. You must be alert, and up and doing, or Time will pass you by. Later, regrets will be of no avail, but properly guided hard work will bring you happiness because you will have become a quality citizen in your Pursuit of Excellence.

My best wishes to you for a successful year.

Most sincerely,

MARY L. DREW
Principal

The staff of the Green and Gold would like to express its sincere appreciation to Mr. Erman, Mr. Epstein and the D.E. Department for their wonderful assistance in helping us get out this issue of the paper.



D.E. NEWS FILE

WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

by Nydia Maldonado

Girls, are you interested in working? If you are, there is a Work Experience Program that will help you find a job, and at the same time will serve as part of your training for later life.

All business students during their junior year are considered by their trade teachers for the program. The teachers look for favorable personality, good attendance and punctuality, and good behavior among other qualities.

Students are allowed to leave school after lunch to work in offices and in stores as switchboard operators, file clerks, typists, packers, and salesgirls. These girls receive a salary as high as \$1.35 an hour. If you find that you do not have the necessary qualifications, don't just sit there and wait until it's too late! Start now and work on that school record!

Dear Sarah Hale Student:

I am writing this letter to let you know that your friends, past Sarah Hale graduates, have been dropping by quite often. Almost every time I talk with one of these grateful and "sad-to-be-out-of-school" ladies, they ask about you. They send their regards and best wishes.

I am also writing you this letter to tell you what they say. Because they are curious and interested, they often ask me if you see things as they do now; if you are as serious about schoolwork as you should be; if you are aware that learning your lessons well and getting a high school diploma mean a better job later on. They tell me that trying hard to do your best is a habit that they learned here at Hale and is really appreciated by their employers. They always say such things as, "I never realized the importance of good attendance, being on

They (and I) wonder how important these things are to you now? Best of luck.



Very truly yours,
Mr. Epstein
D.E. Placement Counselor

Girls of the D.E. Work Experience Program pose prettily for the camera.



FACULTY FACTS



The Beauty Culture Department has added Mrs. Scammacca, Miss Bickley, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Catanese to its ranks. Mrs. Scammacca has taught in the Women's Coast Guard. She enjoys teaching in Sarah Hale and likes the teachers she works with. Her favorite recording artist is Tony Bennett. Miss Bickley has taught in private trade schools in New York. She, too, is enjoying her work at Hale and finds the girls very friendly. Miss Smith taught in a private school in the past. She finds teaching a very different experience from working in a salon, but says that Sarah Hale's girls are very responsible and well-behaved. Last, but not least, is Miss Catanese who loves semi-classical music, opera, swimming, sculpturing and reading. She is a graduate of Hunter College.

Miss Weiner, also a new addition, is teaching health instruction, health education and driver's education to the 3rd, 5th, and 7th terms.

In Academic subjects we will find Miss Shelley who is a graduate of Brooklyn College, likes music and movies, and teaches some lucky girls English. Teaching Social Studies is Mr. Kimmel who finds his job a "challenging experience".

Those three young men of the Science and Mathematics Department are Mr. Kachinoski, Mr. Solat and Mr. Staloff. Mr. Kachinoski, a graduate of Long Island University, has hopes of becoming a guidance counselor in the future, and Mr. Solat and Mr. Staloff, when asked their opinion of Sarah Hale, thought it was just "great".

Mrs. Frazier is the newest addition to the Nursing Department and has taught in many hospital schools of nursing in the New York area.

From Marymount College hails Miss Schapowal and she can be found teaching Distributive Education subjects at Hale. Said Miss Schapowal, "Making friends is easy at Sarah Hale".



Roving Reporter

by Mary LaPlaca
Anne-Marie Portella

Question: What do you think of teen-age marriages?

Answers:

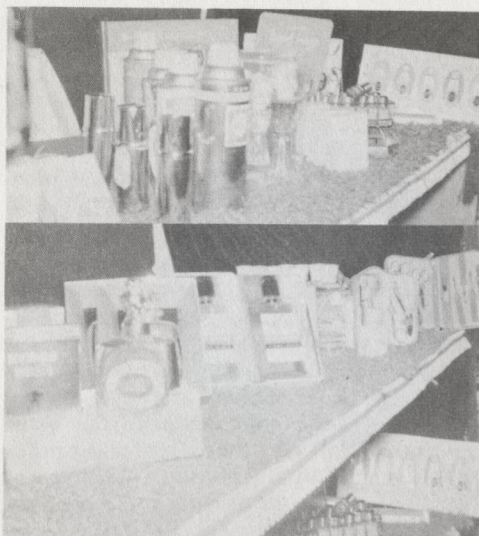
I am strongly against them because boys and girls are too young to realize the responsibilities of married life and its problems. A girl and boy should both finish high school and work a while before planning on marriage. Patricia Zeisler - 57P

I strongly disapprove of them. A girl should finish high school before thinking of marriage. A high school girl is not sure of what she really wants in life. She is not ready to get married before finishing high school. The same goes for the boy.

Mary-Ann Barra - 76A

I think teen-age marriages are all right if the boy and girl think they are capable of taking the responsibilities of married life. It all depends upon the individuals and their level of maturity.

Sandra Williams - 12A



Some of the exciting gift items on display in the Cosmetic Corner.

UNDER THE DRYER



by Therese Martinsen

Hey, girls, I have some good news for you about that famous question you are asking yourselves, "What am I going to buy for Christmas presents?" Well, your problem is just about solved. Our Cosmetic Corner is featuring gift packages of perfume, large decorative bottles of Bubble Bath and for the men in your life, you have a choice of "King's Men" toiletries. There are also many other beautiful products for you to buy.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Gimplowitz and Mrs. Pella, girls are being selected to assist in our store. This is an excellent way to learn at the art of selling merchandise, putting up displays and taking inventory.

There will be a hair styling contest among the senior students and winners will be selected for a city wide show to be judged by the Beauty Culture Advisory Council.

Have you noticed the bulletin board on the second floor that our department has decorated each month? Well, if you haven't, try stopping there for a look. You know, you can participate in setting up these displays under your teacher's supervision. Why not try?

On March 22, there will be a hair styling show in our auditorium, under the direction of Mrs. Olk. Beauty Culture girls will present their latest styling creations. It should be exciting.

HEALTH CAREER NEWS

Students Gain Experience

by Joann Hartfield

The girls in the fifth term Nursing Department are gaining experience in dealing with children in Day Care Centers. They work at the Centers every morning for three weeks and when they attend school all day they learn the theories of taking care of and being able to handle the normal child. This experience will help them if they go on to the Cooperative Nursing Program in their senior year.

The Cooperative Program allows girls to earn money while working in a hospital for two weeks. They go to school every other two weeks.

Any girl may be qualified for these programs if she works hard in nursing and maintains a good average. So take advantage of all the opportunities which our health careers offer you.

Physical Fitness At Hale

SCHOOL HEALTH DAY OBSERVED

On October 18, 1962, Sarah J. Hale observed School Health Day. This day was set aside for each girl to make an appraisal of her health and to recognize her health needs. Students were addressed by Mrs. Hume and Miss Kawecky and were made aware of the importance of physical fitness. They were told that physical fitness means each girl must have good emotional control, should be mentally alert, and must be able to adjust socially to people, places and things. Students were urged to visit their dentists and doctors each year and to participate in the school activities which encourage physical fitness.

NEW LOOK AT SARAH HALE

Have you noticed the new colorful uniforms of our girls this term? The Fashion Arts girls are wearing bright yellow smocks. The Beauty Culture girls in white uniforms are 3rd or 4th termers, those in pink are 5th or 6th termers and those in aqua are 7th or 8th termers. The Nursing students are wearing blue aprons and white blouses, and the Distributive Education girls are the ones with that smart business-like appearance. All in all, a neat, attractive, new look for each girl and Sarah Hale!

G.O. BRINGS EDDY DUCHIN
TO SARAH HALE



Under the sponsorship of Sarah Hale's G.O., the movie, "The Eddy Duchin Story", was presented in our auditorium on November 26. Only G.O. members were allowed to attend the show and a "full house" of approximately 700 girls thrilled to the beautiful story of the talented and inspired pianist. Kim Novack and Tyrone Power played the lead parts, and the breath-taking, colorful costumes and scenery added to the splendor of the music and the fine acting.

This treat was just one of many which our G.O. has provided us with. In June, an exciting variety show is planned and this, too, will be for members only. So, how about it - all of you with that "left-out" feeling? Don't you think it's about time you joined the G.O.?

ACADEMIC SUBJECTS NEWS



All seniors will have the opportunity to see "Macbeth" next term when it will be presented at one of Brooklyn's senior high schools. Professional actors will perform in Shakespeare's famous play which the girls have read.

Third term classes attended book talks at the Pacific Street Public Library and took out library cards.

Sarah Hale girls are contributing to the publication, "Teen Reviewers," which is issued by the Young Teen Division of the Brooklyn Public Library. A recent issue carried a review by Martha Brown, one of last term's nursing seniors. Anyone interested in the writing project may see Mr. Lewittes in Room 210.

SENIOR YEAR BOOK

A busy staff of seniors is hard at work on Sarah Hale's Year Book, under the direction of Mr. Schiller. This book brings back memories of classmates, teachers, and school activities to all those who graduate. It's like looking through an old photograph album and is certainly a book to be cherished by all graduating seniors.

Sarah J. Hale Vocational High School

Code of Behavior

1. Always use proper language in school
2. Respect teachers and others who try to help us.
3. Neither destroy nor damage school facilities, books or grounds.
4. Show responsibility without supervision by walking quietly and in orderly fashion through the halls or in any part of the building, always keeping to the right.
5. Dress in a presentable fashion every day.
6. Meet school obligations promptly, both scholastic and financial.
7. Be polite at all times, controlling our manners and tempers.
8. Refrain from smoking on or near school grounds.
9. Conduct ourselves properly as representatives of our school, upon whom the reputation of our school depends.
10. Show good sportsmanship at all times.

Adopted by the G. O. Council

October 19, 1962

Patricia Solomon
President

Betsy Laudani
Vice-president

Joan Watson
Secretary



Happy smiles show these Girls are members of the D.E. Council.

CLUB DOIN'S



D. E. COUNCIL

The D.E. Council meets every Thursday at 8:45 A.M. in our auditorium. This year the girls have included on their program some new and interesting activities. The D.E.C.A.'s National Contest is now being sponsored by the D.E. Council, and the girls of the council are selling Christmas cards to help cover expenses for the contest. Other plans of the council include trips to business firms and addresses by guest speakers.

CHORAL CLUB

"The Choral Club is headed for a busy schedule this year," said Mr. Gaston. They participated during Open School Night and helped provide entertainment for the Thanksgiving and Christmas programs. They also hope to sing for the speech contest and intend to visit the Philharmonic Hall. "West Side Story" is also on the agenda.

SENIOR HONOR SOCIETY

There are 19 girls in the Senior Honor Society headed by Mrs. Bengert, and there are 12 more potential candidates to be considered for membership. To qualify, you must have an 85% average for the Junior Year. Why not see if you can meet the mark by attaining good grades?

LEADERS CLUB

The girls of the Leaders Club usually attend the Playday Sports Events at Brooklyn College, Hunter College, and various high schools. Mrs. Hume is the adviser to the club and its officers are: Esther Perez Phyllis Thompson, and Marion Coleman.



Members of the Hale Teen Fashion Group modeled these chic styles at the fashion show.

HALE TEEN FASHION GROUP

The Hale Teen Fashion Group, under the direction of Mrs. Clarke, meets regularly every week. The girls in this group are specially selected by the Fashion Arts Department. Only those girls with outstanding records are accepted. These girls learn how to become "top-Teens" in terms of personality, good-grooming, and good manners; certainly a worthwhile and wonderful opportunity for all Fashion Arts students.

SARAH HALE PLAYERS

On the agenda for the Sarah Hale Players, under the direction of Mr. Albi, is a hilarious Christmas play called "The Red Flannel Suit." On June 7, the Players intend to sponsor a "swinging" variety show based on a specific theme. The show like all others will be for G.O. members only.

MODERN DANCE

The Modern Dance Club meets Wednesdays in the gym after school at 3:30 P.M., under the direction of Mrs. Hume. Anyone may become a member. The Dance Club is now working on a Negro Spiritual number. They are planning to prepare a dance Assembly in the Spring.

NEWMAN CLUB

Girls, would you like to learn more about your religion? Then why not join the Newman Club for Catholic students? The club is directed by Miss Hutchisson and Father Noonan. The girls learn the teachings of the Catholic religion and are given booklets to read. Refreshments are served at meetings held the 3rd Wednesday of each month, and trips and a dance are included in future plans.

G.O. COUNCIL

A very active G.O. Council with 20 members, advised by Mr. Erman, holds meetings daily. Members of the council act as hostesses on open-school night and supervise the lunchroom and hall traffic. They were also responsible for sponsoring "The Eddie Duchin Story" which was presented on November 26, for G.O. members only.

ACADEMIC COUNCIL

The Academic Council has adopted a constitution and is the first to apply for a charter from the G.O. Officers of the council are Paulette Powell, Ellen Dowd, Juanita Major, Cynthia Womach. The Academic Council planned a trip to the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

ANNEX CHATTERBOX

STUDENT COUNCIL HARD AT WORK

The Student Council of The Annex has been working very diligently this term. Meetings are held at least once a month and the delegates discuss various problems which arise. The Council also acts as the monitorial squad of the school with the assistance of other students. The present G.O. officers are: President - Francine Micciche, 51A, Vice President - Mary Sander, 51A, Secretary - Juana Castanon, 51P. Student Council members are: Donna Imburgio, Angela Gaudioso, Mae Ferranti, Maria Regolizio, Johanna Mazzarella and Theresa Nazzaro.

Our Teacher...

Mr. Frischman came to Sarah J. Hale Annex this term and brought to our girls a wealth of knowledge about beauty culture since along with his academic background he is also a graduate of the Robert Fiance and American S. L. Schools.

Beauty Culture is a tradition in his family as his mother was a well-known beautician. After many years in the famous Beauty Salon of Martin's Department Store, Mr. Frischman owned two Beauty Salons - one on Long Island and one in Brooklyn.

He finds the students at the Annex willing and anxious to learn. We are happy to welcome him and hope he enjoys his work with us.

Marie Contonzo - 51A
Eileen Santangelo - 51A
Eileen Acetta - 51A

PLEASE NOTE

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE ANNEX

When we returned to the Annex after the summer vacation, it was like coming back to a new school. The halls were freshly painted and the floors were brightly polished. Throughout the school, everything was bright and shining.

It gives us a good feeling to walk into a nicely painted room and when we have a nice, neat school, it seems that our work comes easier. We sincerely hope that all the girls will keep the school as nice as it was in September.

Alice Suter - 51A

CHEERY CHATTER

There is a new display of Bulletin Boards this year. They were completed just in time for the election results to be posted.

Each department has a bulletin board for its use. Mr. Lewittes, Academic Chairman, complimented all the girls who helped make the very attractive displays on the World History and English board.

The Beauty Culture Department exhibits artistic and creative work. The girls did a wonderful job. Each girl takes a part not only in making the halls more colorful but much more interesting. Keep up the good work.

Ann Grillo - 51A



COMING EVENTS

1. December 7, 1962. Trip to Main Building. Mrs. Weissman and students to see Health Education program.
2. December 12, 1962. Trip to United Nations. Fifth term classes will accompany Mr. Shayovich and Mrs. Casas.
3. December 17, 1962. Christmas Assembly, 51A, coached by Mrs. King.
4. December 21, 1962. Trip to Main Building to see Christmas Assembly - Mrs. Casas and selected students.
5. January 1963. Final examinations!

ATTENDANCE

For the first period, Room 502 - Mrs. King - had the highest attendance with 91.6%.

For the second period, Room 510 - Mr. Frischman - had the highest attendance with 90.6%.

Congratulations and keep up the good work. All classes are doing well.

SONG QUIPS FROM THE ANNEX

1. "In the Still of the Night" - Studying for Exams
2. "You Talk Too Much" - Teachers' Complaints
3. "The Twelfth of Never" - When we'll graduate
4. "Sixteen Reasons" - Why I failed that test
5. "Mama" - Promise not to show my report card to Dad
6. "Walking Along" - Hale's students tramping through the halls

JULIUS CAESAR

A fine production of Julius Caesar was presented at the 20th Century Fox Building in New York City. The cast included: Marlon Brando, James Mason, Deborah Kerr and Greer Garson.

The film, which was the story of the assassination of Julius Caesar, was very well acted.

After the movie, one of the assistants of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer addressed the students who were there for the film showing and we were proud to have represented our Annex.

Anna Caradonna - 51A

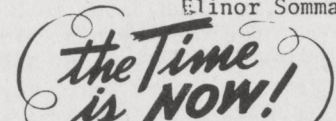
OUR ASSEMBLIES

On October 1, 1962, all the students and teachers saw an enjoyable assembly program. We were introduced to our new fellow students and teachers, Mrs. Campbell spoke about some of the rules of our school, we were told about the General Organization and met its officers.

On October 22, 1962, we saw a motion picture, "The Magic Link", sponsored by Con Edison. The film was a gay story about two families who didn't have adequate wiring. A representative from Con Edison spoke to us and answered questions. Many thanks to Mr. Olk for arranging this informative and educational program.

A panel discussion was held on November 5, 1962 by class 51A and Mr. Shayovich during which the election candidates and their jobs were reviewed. The panel members were Ann Grillo, Donna Imburgio, Mary Sanders and Maria Regolizio. The moderator was Ann Marie Rella. After the discussion we held a straw vote and everyone enjoyed the program because of the audience participation.

Elinor Somma - 51P



VISIT YOUR LIBRARY

Book Week was November 11-17. This year's slogan is "I Like Books!" There are many new books in the library filled with adventure, romance and excitement. The latest addition is a brand new Collier's Encyclopoedia. Mrs. Bengert has memo sheets and book markers for those who come to check out books. Have you read a good book lately?